



47. House Finch 8

48. American Goldfinch 14

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MONTHLY BIRD CENSUS 23 JANUARY 2011

CENSUS CONDITIONS TIME 08:20 - 11:50 CLOUD COVER 100% PRECIP NONE

OPEN WATER ALL FOG NONE WIND 0-5 MPH TEMP 42 - 46 SNOW COVER NONE

PARTICIPANTS: Amy Schillinger- Powell, Barb Petersen, Kathy Andrich, Liz Cormier, Sharon Aagaard, Charlie Wright,

Knut Hansen, Matt Knox and Wayne Sladek (ponds)

Carol Schulz, Clarice Clark & Jerry Broadus and Roger Orness (meadows)

SPECIES

1.	Cackling Goose 40	17. Great Blue Heron 7		33. Bewick's Wren 19
2.	Canada Goose 53	18. Bald Eagle 2	*1	34. Pacific Wren 1
3.	Gadwall 31	19. Sharp-shinned Hawk 1	*2	35. Marsh Wren 29
4.	American Wigeon 324	20. Cooper's Hawk 4	*3,4	36. Golden-crowned Kinglet 8
5.	Mallard 362	21. Red-tailed Hawk 5	*5	37. Ruby-crowned Kinglet 13
6.	Northern Shoveler 75	22. American Coot 83		38. American Robin 127
7.	Northern Pintail 53	23. Wilson's Snipe 2		39. European Starling 13
8.	Green-winged Teal 16	24. Mew Gull 5		40. Yellow-rumped Warbler 48
9.	Ring-necked Duck 44	25. Glaucous-winged Gull 6		41. Spotted Towhee 14
10	. Greater Scaup 1 F	26. Rock Pigeon 8		42. Fox Sparrow 2
11	. Bufflehead 20	27. Anna's Hummingbird 3		43. Song Sparrow 59
12	. Hooded Merganser 2	28. Downy Woodpecker 2		44. Golden-crowned Sparrow 10
13	. Common Merganser 5	29. Northern Flicker 4		45. Dark-eyed Junco 2
14	. Ruddy Duck 15	30. Steller's Jay 2		46. Red-winged Blackbird 53
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NOTES

15. Pied-billed Grebe 4

16. Double-crested Cormorant 12

*1 Two adults on power tower, S. of lagoon; both returned, one chasing the other with prey. SEE MORE NOTES.

32. Black-capped Chickadee 20

*2 An adult perched high in the NW. corner of the NE. forest, high in a cottonwood, as seen by the pond team.

31. American Crow 30

- *3 Male size adult high in a NW. forest cottonwood and a second, male size juvenile in a NE. forest cottonwood.
- *4 Meadows team saw a male size juvenile atop NW. tree/snag and a second male size juvenile on SW. pole/snag.
- *5 Both SW. resident adults on territory; both NW adults on territory and a vagrant adult on the SE. power tower.
- *6 There were 27 warblers, further identified to be of the Audubon's race and 21 were of the Myrtles race.

MORE NOTES

After a brief chase S. of the site, one eagle returned to the power tower with a female wigeon in tow and fed on it. One resident adult from the NW pair is a dark morph male, that has been seen before and thought to be a vagrant. One vagrant adult red-tail on the SE. periphery of the site perched on power tower S. of the constructed wetlands. No evidence of recent pellets and no owls seen in the Anderson Park pines. Loss of adjacent habitat suspected. Two raccoons sleeping in a tree, then same two, or two more in another tree, separated by 200 feet in NW. forest. Three otters were observed swimming from the S. to N. in the middle of the main lagoon, toward a root ball snag.